

Art Builders is an arts-in-education programme run by award-winning Kent-based community arts organisation, Animate Arts Company.

Art Builders is about inspiring primary and special schools to programme art activity, giving all young children and teaching staff an opportunity to get involved in the arts and be creative!

To get involved, you simply need to register (for free) HERE.

So, here are the top 5 things you need to know about Art Builders...

1. Art Builders runs throughout the whole Summer Term!



The programme runs throughout the whole term, meaning you can plan an Art Builders activity at any point - whenever works for you! Do make sure that you **let us know what you are doing** so we can highlight your school. Drop us an email, or **share photos on social media** using #ArtBuilders22!

2. We have produced some great free resources



There's a gorgeous pamphlet called '**The Little Book of Inspiration'**, as well as a **digital badge** and **a certificate** for your school. There's also **intro videos from our Artistic Director**, **Jo** - one for staff and one for pupils. As well as all this, there's a **weekly downloadable activity sheet** to use in class - '**Trees on Tuesday'!**

3. We have two brilliant Artist Digital Toolkits available to buy



The Artist Digital Toolkits are **bespoke arts activities designed and led by two amazing professional artists**. Each toolkit consists of a beautifully designed **downloadable PDF (with step-by-step instructions, images, and info) plus a short intro video from the artist themselves**. They are £50 each, can be used across the whole school, and once downloaded are yours for good. They can be purchased here: <u>https://artbuilders.co.uk/shop/</u>

4.We have a fantastic programme for teachers and

staff starting this month



Art Builders is for adults too! We've got a **fantastic online course** that focuses on YOU and **your own creativity, wellbeing, and confidence**, as well as some **excellent online CPD sessions** around **diverse artists**, **drawing**, and **printing**! **Book** <u>HERE</u>!

5. Art Builders Day is Friday 24th June!



Art Builders Day is a moment to celebrate CREATIVITY together! You may have planned something for the day, or you may be planning to tap into **one of our free online sessions** with your class or school. You can book these <u>HERE</u>.

We will be kicking off our **DIGITAL RALLY** on social media after school - which is a chance for us all to share pictures of your children's' creations, to use our voices to advocate for art in schools, and to show everyone what Art Builders can do! Please join us if you can, using **#ArtBuilders22**!

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